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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Servants - Guntur District - Disciplinary proceedings initiated against (1) Sri D.Yesu Babu, the then Tahsildar, Prathipadu (now retired) & 2 others - Article of Charges - Issued - Explanation Submitted - Inquiry Officer appointed - Inquiry report submitted - communicated - further explanation submitted - SCN issued - explanation submitted - to impose a penalty of "withholding of 10% of monthly pension for 10 years" against him - Orders - Issued.

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REVENUE (VIG.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.876 **Dated:21.10.2022**

Read the following:

1. Procdgs in Rc.No.1169/17-A4, Dt:16.05.2017 of the Collector, Guntur.
2. Explanation dt:30.05.2017 of Sri D.Yesu Babu, the then Tahsildar, Prathipadu, Guntur District.
3. Procdgs.Rc.NO.REVGNT-ASE0DISC(AOC)/2/2018-SA(A4)-COLGNT, Dt:18.12.2018.
4. Rc.No.112/2018-A1, DT:27.01.2021 of Spl.Dy.Collector& Inquiry Officer, Dr.K.L.Rao Sagar (Pulichintala) Project, Guntur.
5. From the CCLA, Lr.Vigilance/VS.II(1)/94/2021, DT:17.08.2021.
6. Govt.Memo.No.LANA0CCLV(DISC)/76/2021-Vig.III(2)-1, Dt:18.04.2022.
7. Explanation dt:02.05.2022 of Sri D.Yesubabu, former Tahsildar, Prathipadu (Retd)
8. Govt.Letter.No. LANA0CCLV(DISC)/76/2021-Vig.III(2)-3, Dt:14.07.2022.
9. From the Secretary, APPSC, Lr.No.GAD03-APPSC0DCC/57/2022-DC.SEC- APPSC, Dt:21.09.2022.

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ORDER:

Whereas, in the reference 1st read above, the Collector, Guntur Dist., had initiated disciplinary proceedings against 1) Sri D.Yesu Babu, the then Tahsildar, Prathipadu (now retired) 2) Sri V.Chalamaiah, former Mandal Revenue Inspector, Prathipadu & presently working as senior Assistant, O/o Tahsildar, Pedakakani and 3) Sri B.Sarvonnatha Rao, former V.R.O., Yanamadala(V), Prathipadu (M) presently working as Ward Revenue Secretary(Grade-I), W.S.No.58, Guntur East Mandal on the allegation of irregularities said to be committed in issue of 1424 Fasali Adangal in respect of Sy.No.474/2,3,4 and 7 of Yanamadala village of Prathipadu Mandal in the name of Vennapusa Rama Subba Reddy who purchased the land from the assignee and lead to conversion of the land from agriculture purpose to non-agriculture purpose. In the reference 2nd read above, the Charged Officer has submitted his explanation denying the charges.

2. And whereas, in the reference 3rd read above, the Special Deputy Collector, O/o Special Collector (LA), Dr.K.L.Rao Sagar (Pulichintala) Project, Guntur was appointed as Inquiry Officer to conduct enquiry into the matter. In the reference 4th read above, the Enquiry Officer has submitted his report stating that the charges are held proved against Sri D.Yesu Babu, the then Tahsildar, Prathipadu (now retired) & 2 others Charged Officers also. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri vide his memo dt:05.05.2021, has communicated the enquiry officer report to the charged officers for their representation, if any, on the Inquiry officer report. Accordingly the Charged Officers have submitted their representations.

3. And Whereas, in the reference 5th read above, the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri has stated that Sri D.Yesu Babu, the then Tahsildar, Prathipadu was retired from service, hence requested the Government to take further action under Rule 9 of AP Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

4. After careful examination of matter in detail, Government have provisionally decided to impose a penalty of "withholding of 10% of monthly pension for 10 years" against Sri D.Yesu Babu, the then Tahsildar, Prathipadu (Retd), under rule-9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980. Accordingly, vide reference 6th read above a Show

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cause notice has been issued against Sri D.Yesu Babu, the then Tahsildar, Prathipadu (Retd) as to why the proposed penalty should not be imposed against him. In the reference 7th read above, Sri D.Yesubabu, Tahsildar (Retd) has submitted his explanation and requested to exonerate him from the charges levelled against him.

5. Government, after examining the explanation of Sri D.Yesubabu, Tahsildar (Retd), has sent the necessary proposals to the Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, with a request to place the proposal of the Government i.e., to impose a penalty of "withholding of 10% of monthly pension for 10 years" against Sri D.Yesu Babu, the then Tahsildar, Prathipadu (Retd) before the Commission for their concurrence and furnish the same to Government for taking further action in the matter.

6. And whereas, in the reference 9th read above, the Secretary, APPSC has stated that after careful examination of the proposal in the light of records made available, Commission proposed to enhance to "Ten percent (10%) permanently" against Sri D.Yesu Babu, the then Tahsildar, Prathipadu (Retd) as the quantum of punishment does not match the grave misconduct of duties exhibited by the charged officer.

7. Government, after careful examination of the matter and obtaining the orders of the competent authority under A.P. Secretariat Business Rules, have decided and hereby order to impose a penalty of "withholding of 10% of monthly pension for 10 years" against Sri D.Yesu Babu, the then Tahsildar, Prathipadu (Retd), under rule 9 of A.P.Revised Pension Rules, 1980 in this matter.

8. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri shall take necessary action in this matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

G. SAI PRASAD
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

To

Sri D.Yesu Babu, the then Tahsildar, Prathipadu (Retd) ***through*** the Collector & District Magistrate, Guntur.

The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri.

Copy to:

The Collector & District Magistrate, Guntur.

The Secretary, APPSC, A.P., Vijayawada.

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SECTION OFFICER